

WRITING ASSESSMENT
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I think the United States should not be able to force people to enlist. It should be their choice if they wanna join the military or not. Even though two years is not a long time, but I still disagree. Here's some of the reasons why.

It should be up to the people cause a lot of people have plans to go into college right after highschool and the government is putting our plans on hold for their own reasons. I would understand more if we ~~were~~^{were} in war with Iraq right now. Some might just have had a kid and the first two years of its life the mother/father is gone. If it does come to being forced to enlist I would call the government greedy.

I somewhat understand why they would want to make people enlist. I think they should keep sending the same soldiers back, even though I know that's wrong but they signed up into the military. It wouldn't be that bad of a thing if we had to, cause it would teach a lot of discipline to our youth. A lot more crimes wouldn't happen, there would be a lot less gangs, murders, and drug deals.

Those are many of my opinions as to why forcing people to enlist should or should not be allowed.

Score Point: 3

This response reflects limited proficiency in persuasive writing skills. The writer introduces the response by opposing mandatory military service. Key ideas are provided to support this position (people have plans to go to college; some may have to care for a child); however, these ideas are followed by arguments in favor of mandatory military service (it would teach discipline; there would be a decrease in crime). Overall, the response is confusing because the writer does not take a clear position. Although an organizational structure is evident, the development of key ideas is inadequate.